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DELI-STYLE TURKEY BREAST, INVITATION NO. 7, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-248

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell deli-style turkey breast and deli-style smoked turkey breast as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, Oct. 9 (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Oct. 12. Deliveries are to be made from Nov. 16 to Nov. 30.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe</a>. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-248, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Deli-Style Turkey Breast and Smoked Turkey Breast dated August 1997, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp">http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp</a>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-248, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

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Deli-Style Turkey Breast (233040) - Frozen fully cooked deli-style turkey breast, produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook chunked and formed turkey breast meat. Each deli turkey breast must be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four 9 to 11 pound (4.08 to 4.99 kg) deli turkey breasts per fiberboard shipping container. Each deli turkey breast must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg). A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Deli-Style Smoked Turkey Breast (233140) - Frozen fully cooked delistyle smoked turkey breast, produced from nonbasted, young ready-tocook chunked and formed turkey breast meat. Smoked turkey breast must be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four 9 to 11 pound (4.08 to 4.99 kg) smoked turkey breasts per fiberboard container. Each smoked turkey breast must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg). A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY248 : 007 INVITATION

COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 30 TURKEY BREAST, DELI PACK SIZE : 40 40 LB CONTAINER

ITEM	-			1S	QUANTITY	
NO	CITY	ST	REST	TR.	(LBS)	
DELT/	TERY PERIOD 11/1	L6/U_	L – 11/	30/01		
001	SPRINGFIELD	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	20,000	
		MA		ONLY	•	
002	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
003	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	10,000	
	WILMINGTON	MA	TRUCK	ONLY	30,000	
004	BKLYN/CEN ISLIP	NY	TRUCK	ONLY	120,000 <b>See</b>	note.
005	ALTOONA	PΑ	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
006	PHILADELPHIA	PΑ	TRUCK	ONLY	40,000	
007	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK	ONLY	10,000	
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	30,000	
800	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	25,600	
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	14,400	
009	ASHLAND	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	16,400	
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK	ONLY	23,600	

Note: The destination receiving warehouse is unknown at the time of invitation. Contract will be awarded for the item to be delivered to either warehouse. Successful contractor must contact Gary Rubin at 718-258-7550 (Fax 718-258-9478) prior to shipping to confirm final destination.

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ITEM	I DESTINATI	ION	TRANS	QUANTITY
NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)
DELI	VERY PERIOD 1	L1/16/0	1 - 11/30/01	
010	MIAMI PLANTAT	CIO FL		40,000
011	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	22,340
	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	17,660
012	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
013	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
014	BOISE	ID	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR	R COMMO	DITY TYPE	680,000

COMM TYPE : 31 TURKEY BREAST, DELI, SMOKED

: 40 40 LB CONTAINER PACK SIZE

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION

ITEM NO	DESTIN CITY	ATION ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIV	JERY PERIOD	11/16/0	1 - 11/30/01	
015 016	LEXINGTON CHARLOTTE LEXINGTON	SC NC SC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000 13,320 26,680
TOTAI	L QUANTITY	FOR COMMC	DITY TYPE	80,000

Dennis J. Pearson Contracting Officer

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